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VIA ECF

Hon. Michael A. Hammer United States Magistrate Judge U.S. District Court for the District of New Jersey Martin Luther King Building & U.S. Courthouse 50 Walnut Street Newark, New Jersey 07102

Re: Merck & Co., Inc., et. al. v. Merck KGAA

Civil Action No. 16-266 (ES/MAH)

Dear Judge Hammer:

On behalf of Plaintiffs, we are writing to request the withdrawal of the *pro hac vice* admission of Francesca Brody (Dkt. No. 37).

Plaintiffs will continue to be represented by other attorneys who have been admitted *pro hac vice* from Sidley Austin, as well as my firm.

If this request is acceptable to the Court, we ask that this letter be "So Ordered" and placed on the docket. We appreciate the Court's attention to this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Cynthia S. Betz

Cynthia S. Betz

cc: Counsel of Record (via ECF)

SO ORDERED this $\frac{13th}{}$ day of May 2022

/s Michael A. Hammer

Hon. Michael A. Hammer, USMJ